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## Chrysler Targets Dealers in Cuts

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## Pelosi: We Were Deceived

Speaker levels harsh charges against the CIA over torture

**WASHINGTON** | House Speaker Nancy Pelosi bluntly accused the CIA on Thursday of misleading her and other lawmakers about its use of waterboarding during the Bush administration, escalating a controversy grown to include both political parties, the spy agency and the White House.

"It is not the policy of this agency to mislead the United States Congress," responded CIA spokesman George Little, although he refused to answer directly when asked whether Pelosi's accusation was accurate.

But the House's top Democrat was unequivocal about a CIA briefing she received in the fall of 2002. "We were told that waterboarding was not being used," the speaker said. "That's the only mention, that they were not using it. And we now know that earlier they were."

Pelosi also disputed Republican charges that she was complicit in the use of waterboarding, and she suggested the GOP was trying to shift the focus of public attention away from the Bush administration's use of techniques that she and President Obama have described as torture. (AP)

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## THIEVES

## He Cares Enough To Steal the Very Best

Jefferson County, Colo., authorities are looking for a man dubbed the "Nicotine Ninja," who's believed to have stolen \$120,000 worth of cigarettes in the past two years. The suspect is completely clad in dark clothing and covers half his face with a black cloth when he breaks into liquor stores in the middle of the night. He usually takes only brand-name cigarettes and ignores the generic brands. (AP)

## MODESTY

## Outfit Purchased at Chico's for Sexy Doll

A sexy mannequin can keep her spot outside a Reading, Ohio, barbecue joint, but local officials want her to cover up. The life-size figure wears a bikini top and tight shorts outside a restaurant owned by Kenny Tessel. He told zoning officials Wednesday that the advertising gimmick has boosted business 40 percent. Officials said Tessel may continue to use the figure only if it's dressed more modestly. He plans to appeal. (AP)



## HOBBIES

## What, Me Bored?

Internet entrepreneur Neil Cuadra, 55, has constructed an image of MAD magazine mascot Alfred E. Neuman's head using junk mail CDs and DVDs — a feat that landed him in the magazine's 500th issue. "You just blew our mind. You used junk mail from AOL to create a piece of art that became junk mail to us," the magazine's editors said in a footnote. Cuadra has subscribed to MAD for more than 40 years. (AP)

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# In Chemo, Ginger May Offer Relief

**Study:** Herb capsules seem to tone down nausea in treatment

**HEALTH** | Ginger, long used as a folk remedy for soothing tummy aches, helped tame one of the most dreaded side effects of cancer treatment — nausea from chemotherapy — the first large study to test the herb for this has found.

People who started taking ginger capsules several days before a chemo infusion had fewer and less severe bouts of nausea afterward than others who were given dummy capsules, the study found.

"We were slightly beside ourselves" to see how much it helped, said study leader Julie Ryan.

But don't reach for the ginger ale. Many sodas and cookies contain only flavoring — not real ginger, Ryan said. Her study tested a drug-like ginger root extract.

Ginger capsules may offer a cheap, simple way to fight nausea, which is far more than just a quality-of-life issue, doctors say. Some cancer patients cut treatment short or refuse chemo altogether because of nausea, hurting their chances of beating the disease. (AP)

# Dems Ponder Insurance Mandate

House plan would require everyone to have health coverage

**WASHINGTON** | House Democrats are crafting a plan that would require all Americans to carry health insurance and would help families making less than \$88,000 pay the premiums. Employers, too, would have to help foot the bill.

It's the latest development in President Obama's push to fix the ailing U.S. health care system by getting the government more deeply involved.

Obama has said the final legislation must rein in costs, guarantee choice of health plans and medical providers, and ensure that all Americans have access to affordable coverage. But he's leaving it to Congress to work out the details.

Responding to a question at a town hall-style meeting in New Mexico on Thursday, Obama said he expects a plan from Congress that will be a "vast improvement" over the current system.

A document obtained by The



President Obama speaks at a town hall event in Rio Rancho, N.M., Thursday. Obama is pressing for legislation on health care.

Associated Press provides an early look at where Democratic leaders in the House are heading as they try to meet an ambitious July 31 deadline for passing their version of the legislation. The Senate is working on a similar plan, with some key differences.

The plan by the House Energy and Commerce Committee would build on the current system in which employers, government and individuals share responsibility for health insurance.

The House document also calls for a new government insurance

plan to compete with private companies. It would be financed by premium payments.

Insurers are strongly opposed to a government-sponsored plan, saying it would drive them out of business. RICARDO ALONSO-ZALDIVAR AND ERICA WERNER (AP)



**GIMMICKS Blago in a Bottle** Just when we thought we'd heard "bleep'n" everything. A Chicago-area company is marketing hair products inspired by ousted Illinois governor Rod Blagojevich. The shampoo and conditioner carry the brand name "BLAGO It's Bleep'n Golden!"

Blagojevich was removed from office in January after being accused of trying to sell President Obama's Senate seat. The brand name refers to a comment he allegedly made about the appointment: "I've got this thing and it's [expletive] golden." (AP)



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# Nation

# 'Liberal Lion' Still Leads the Pack

One year after cancer diagnosis, Kennedy is keeping goals in sight

**BOSTON** | Between doctors' appointments, Edward Kennedy has been working the phones, urging Senate colleagues to pass a health care bill. He's trying to finish his memoirs. And he's overseeing the design of a namesake building to stand next to his brother's presidential library.

A year after being diagnosed with terminal brain cancer, the 77-year-old last surviving Kennedy brother has defied some doctors' expectations and worked steadily to cement his personal and political legacies.

"He's taken about every bit of human tragedy you could, and nothing has stopped his human purpose for what we are all here



Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., center, along with his wife, Victoria Reggie Kennedy, right, and Sen. John Kerry, D-Mass., head inside the Capitol on Feb. 9.

**Kennedy has defied some doctors' expectations and worked steadily to cement his legacy.**

to do," said Paul Kirk, a longtime family friend.

Kennedy learned he had a malignant tumor called a glioma after suffering a seizure on May 17, 2008. The prognosis was grim: Median survival for the worst form of gliomas is 12 to 15 months.

After he was diagnosed, Kennedy gathered top cancer specialists and slipped away to North Carolina to undergo a risky surgery.

Just a month later, he returned triumphantly to the Senate to cast a decisive vote on a Medicare bill. In January, Kennedy fulfilled his

promise to attend Barack Obama's inauguration. But his collapse at a lunch after the swearing-in was a reminder of Kennedy's frailty.

Doctors blamed the senator's collapse on fatigue from being outside in the cold for the ceremony, but the episode also underscored the urgency behind Kennedy's efforts to secure his legacy.

In addition to his memoirs, Kennedy has been completing the final phase of an oral history project for the University of Virginia. And he's monitored the design of the Edward M. Kennedy Institute, which will seek to educate the public about the Senate.

Kennedy has made only a handful of public statements since he was first stricken with cancer, including brief remarks at a White House health care conference in March.

"I look forward to being a foot soldier in this undertaking," Kennedy said at the health care event. "This time, we will not fail."

GLEN JOHNSON (AP)

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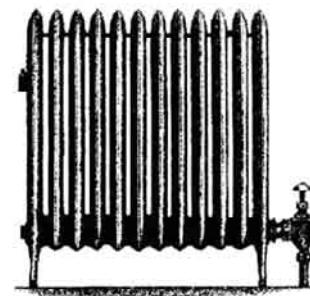
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## CIA Denies Cheney's Call to Release Memos

Agency: Documents on interrogation must be kept secret for now

WASHINGTON | The CIA has rejected a request from former vice president Dick Cheney to release documents that he says show that the agency's harsh interrogation methods helped thwart terrorist plots.

A letter Thursday denying the request cited pending legal action as the sole reason for keeping the documents under seal.

"For that reason — and that reason only — CIA did not accept Mr. Cheney's request for a mandatory declassification review," agency spokesman Paul Gimigliano said.

Cheney, in a Fox News inter-



Former vice president Dick Cheney says harsh interrogations yielded results.

view last month, said the documents "lay out what we learned from the interrogation process" and would presumably validate Bush administration claims that the controversial methods disrupted terrorists' plans and saved American lives. JOBY WARRICK

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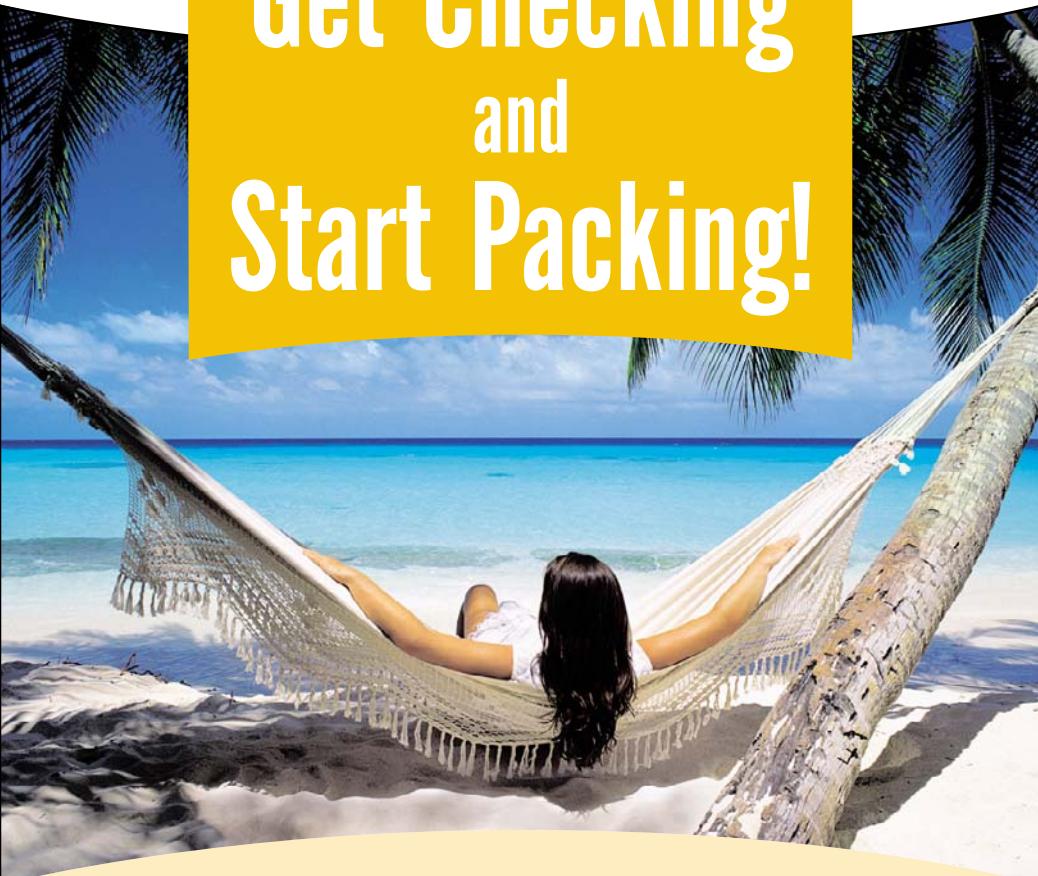
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# World

# Myanmar Activist to Go on Trial

Suu Kyi faces new charges after visit by uninvited U.S. man

YANGON, MYANMAR | Myanmar's Nobel Prize-winning pro-democracy leader Aung San Suu Kyi faced new charges Thursday less than two weeks before her house arrest was due to end after an American man swam across a lake and entered her home, her lawyer said.

Supporters accused the military government of using the incident to keep her in detention ahead of general elections scheduled next year.

Suu Kyi, whose detention was set to end May 27, could face a prison term of up to five years if

## INTRUDER BRINGS TROUBLE

John William Yettaw, 53, of Falcon, Mo., was arrested on May 6 after swimming a mile across Inya Lake to pro-democracy leader Aung San Suu Kyi's house, where he stayed for two days.



### BIZARRE FOOTWEAR

Before the swim, Yettaw photographed his own makeshift flip-flops, above.



### ASPIRING AUTHOR

Opposition magazine Irrawaddy said Yettaw, above, was writing a book about heroism.



### MOTIVES UNCLEAR

Yettaw's stepson said Yettaw "did not want to cause Suu Kyi [above] any trouble."

AP/GETTY IMAGES

convicted, said lawyer Hla Myo Myint. The trial is scheduled to start Monday at a special court at Yangon's notorious Insein Prison, where she was arraigned Thursday.

She is accused of breaking the terms of her detention by harboring the visitor for two days, even though another of Suu Kyi's lawyers said she told the man to leave.

Human rights groups said

**“Everyone is very angry with this wretched American. He is the cause of all these problems.”**

—KYI WIN,  
LAWYER FOR AUNG SAN SUU KYI



A woman cares for an injured boy at a hospital in Mullivaikal, Sri Lanka.

## COLOMBO, SRI LANKA Thousands Flee War Zone

Thousands of civilians waded across a vast lagoon under a hail of rebel gunfire Thursday, breaking out of Sri Lanka's war zone in a mass exodus that left four civilians dead from Tamil Tiger bullets, the military said. In the tiny coastal strip they had just fled, shelling forced health workers to abandon the only hospital in the area, a health official said. (AP)

## HEARSAY | APPEAL

**“I asked him ... to make his voice heard loud and continuously against the declarations coming from Iran.”**

—BENJAMIN NETANYAHU, ISRAELI PRIME MINISTER, ON HIS TALKS WITH POPE BENEDICT XVI IN WHICH HE SOUGHT SUPPORT AGAINST IRAN'S ANTI-ISRAEL STANCE.

## ‘Slumdog’ Star’s Home Torn Down

MUMBAI, INDIA | The 10-year-old child star of “Slumdog Millionaire” was awakened Thursday by a policeman wielding a bamboo stick and ordered out of his home. Minutes later it was bulldozed along with dozens of other shanties in the Mumbai slum he calls home.

“I was frightened,” said Azharuddin Mohammed Ismail, who lost his pet kittens in the chaos.



Azharuddin Mohammed Ismail rides a bicycle past wrecked homes Thursday.



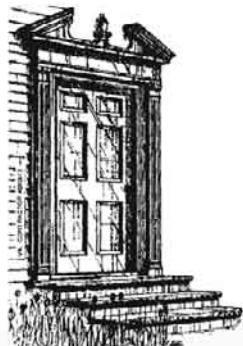
Eight Oscars and \$326 million in box office receipts have done little so far to improve the lives of Ismail and another impoverished child star in the film. “Slumdog” filmmakers say they’ve done their best to help the youngsters, setting up a trust for the children.

Trustee Noshir Dadrawala told The Associated Press Thursday that Ismail’s family was offered temporary rental apartments last week until permanent homes are found, but they turned them down. (AP)

## SEOUL, SOUTH KOREA

## N. Korea to Try 2 American Journalists in Early June

Two U.S. journalists arrested near North Korea’s border with China on accusations of illegal entry and “hostile acts” will be tried by Pyongyang in early June, state media said Thursday. Laura Ling and Euna Lee, reporters for Current TV, were detained March 17. (AP)



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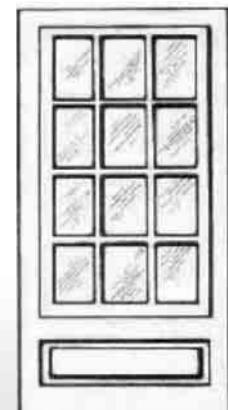
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# Memoir Exposes Chinese Dissent

Book reveals leader's views on stifled 1989 democracy movement

BEIJING | It took hours of secret recordings and years of clandestine planning to get the material smuggled out and translated.

But just weeks before the 20th anniversary of the Tiananmen Square democracy movement's brutal quelling, the Chinese leader ousted for opposing the crackdown has broken his silence in a posthumous memoir that gives a rare insight to the inner workings of the Communist Party during a critical time.



Communist Party official Zhao Ziyang, center, speaks with fasting students in Beijing's Tiananmen Square on May 19, 1989, the last time he was seen in public.

And in a conclusion extraordinary for someone who devoted his career to the party, Zhao Ziyang

also urges China to become a parliamentary democracy in order to truly modernize.

The 306-page "Prisoner of the State: The Secret Journal of Premier Zhao Ziyang" was crafted over four years from nearly 30 hours of tapes recorded in secret by Zhao, who lived under house arrest for 15 years before dying in 2005. Scheduled for worldwide release on May 19, the book details how leaders grappled with the 1989 protests.

While it may raise eyebrows among the Communist Party leadership, "Prisoner of the State" is unlikely to cause real waves among top cadres. The leaders who took over after Zhao maintain that the crushing of the Tiananmen protests paved the way for China's economic success. AUDRA ANG (AP)

## IN HIS OWN WORDS

Excerpts from Zhao Ziyang's book "Prisoner of the State" regarding the 1989 pro-democracy protests in Tiananmen Square:

→ "On the night of June 3rd, while sitting in the courtyard with my family, I heard intense gunfire. A tragedy to shock the world had not been averted, and was happening after all."

→ "[It] was said that this event was aimed at overthrowing the People's Republic and the Communist Party. Where is the evidence?"

→ "[C]an it be proven that the ... movement was 'counterrevolutionary turmoil,' as it was designated? The students were orderly."

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# Money

# Chrysler Fallout Felt Nationwide

Automaker's planned dealership cuts are a blow to many towns

DETROIT | In tiny Millerstown, Pa., the owner of the only car dealership in town found out

**40**

The number of people, in thousands, who work at the Chrysler dealerships that will be affected.

Thursday he was on Chrysler's hit list — one of 789 across the nation that the troubled automaker wants to eliminate.

"It's really, really a blow," Jeff Potter, whose family owns the dealership, said after hearing the news from a customer who spotted the closing list on the Internet. "When you talk about being here 34 years, it's my life."

Chrysler disclosed in a bankruptcy filing Thursday that it



CHARLES REX ARBOGAST/AP

Stanley Balzeks III walks through the service area of his family's Chrysler dealership in Chicago Thursday. The dealership is being targeted by Chrysler for closure.

wants to close a quarter of its dealers in a matter of weeks, a strategy that might help save the company but would wipe out thousands of jobs.

With General Motors Corp.

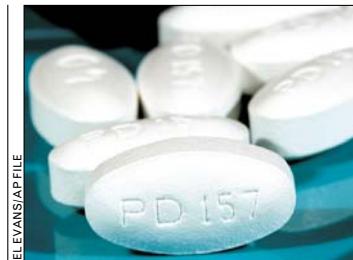
expected to announce it will close about 1,100 dealerships, the crisis in the auto industry is reaching far beyond the front doors of Americans who live far from Detroit.

Millerstown Chrysler will try to survive by selling used cars. Otherwise, the town of 700 will lose one of its largest employers and a major source of tax revenue. And in other communities that depend on dealers for everything from newspaper advertising to Little League sponsorships, the ripple effect could be devastating. Dealerships on the closing list are in every state but Alaska.

The National Automobile Dealers Association says about 40,000 people work at the affected dealerships.

Chrysler said in its filing that sales are too low at many of the dealerships. Half its dealers account for 90 percent of its sales, and the company is trying to cut poor performers that compete for the same customers.

Chrysler said it wants to shed the dealerships by June 9. (AP)



MELENEVANS/AP FILE  
Lipitor is among the 70 drugs Pfizer will give to uninsured Americans.

## Pfizer Will Offer Free Medication

TRENTON, N.J. | Pfizer Inc. says it will provide 70 of its most widely prescribed prescription drugs — including Lipitor and Viagra — for free to people who have lost their jobs and health insurance.

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# Local

## Particular Complaint in Md.

Hotel contractor told to prevent dispersal of plastic foam bits

Montgomery County officials will allow Donohoe Construction to continue work at a Bethesda hotel site, despite complaints from nearby offices that the company has not done enough to limit dispersal of millions of plastic foam particles.

Bob Hoyt, the county's environment director, sent inspectors Thursday morning to the site on Waverly Street where Donohoe is building a Hilton Garden Inn. The inspectors told a company official to spread more netting to block dispersal of the particles, which have been



CHUCK HUSAK/TWP

Plastic foam particles have spread near a hotel construction site in Bethesda, Md.

flying from the site since late March, according to county records.

"What we have seen is continued efforts by the contractor to do everything he can to prevent

the dispersal of styrofoam off the site," Hoyt said.

Earlier Thursday, County Council member George Leventhal asked county officials to consider ordering the company to stop work at the site until more efforts are made to limit dispersal of particles.

"This is unacceptable," Leventhal said.

In recent weeks, office workers around the site and a county inspector have documented piles of the particles throughout the area, including some that have landed several blocks away, as well as in a nearby stream on the Georgetown Branch walker-biker trail.

MIRANDA S. SPIVACK (THE WASHINGTON POST)

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## Unemployment Will Hit 11.5% in D.C., CFO Says

WASHINGTON | The District of Columbia's chief financial officer predicts the city's unemployment rate will increase to 11.5 percent next year. In prepared testimony Thursday for a House subcommittee hearing, Natwar Gandhi said he expects the city's economic conditions will continue to deteriorate as employment and wages decrease and office vacancies rise.

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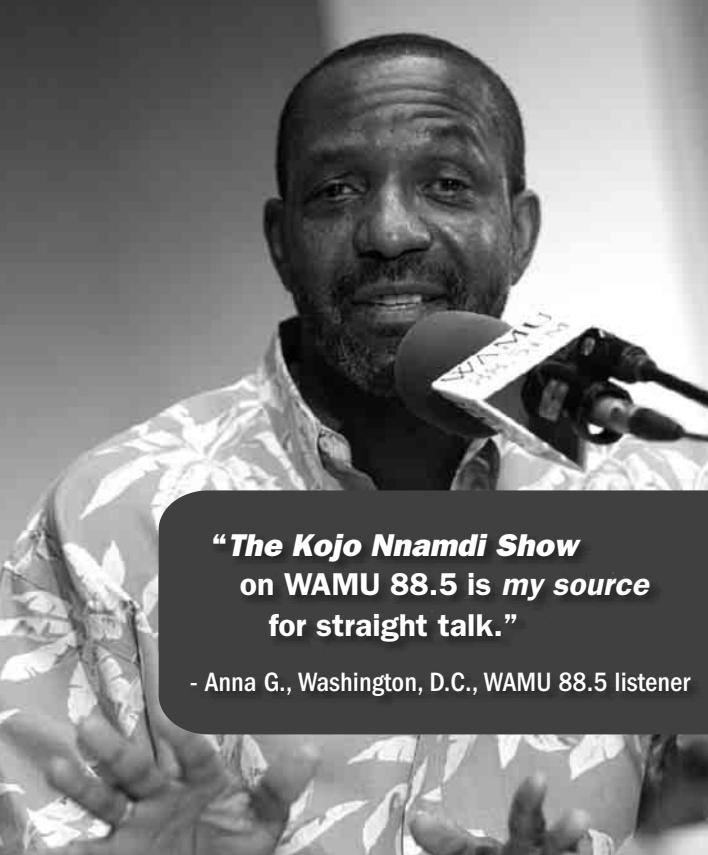
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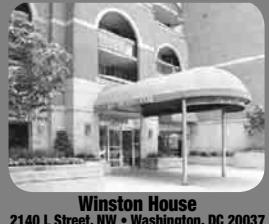
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Ryan Zimmerman looks to start a new hitting streak this weekend **20**



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Kentucky Derby champ Mine That Bird has been an afterthought this week.

### friday

**7 P.M.** John Lannan takes the hill for the Nationals, who open a series against the Phillies. MASN  
**8:10 P.M.** The Orioles get a bird's-eye look at Royals pitching sensation Zack Greinke. MASN2

### saturday

**1 P.M.** The start of a long day for the Nationals and Phillies, who will play a day-night doubleheader. MASN  
**4:30 P.M.** Mine that Bird looks to capture the second leg of the Triple Crown during the Preakness. NBC  
**7 P.M.** Game 2 of the Nats-Phillies doubleheader. MASN  
**7 P.M.** We don't know which two teams will be playing, but the NHL conference finals start. VERSUS  
**7 P.M.** NASCAR's All-Star race in Concord, N.C. SPEED  
**8:10 P.M.** More of the thrilling O's-Royals series. MASN2  
**11 P.M.** D.C. United goes cross-country to play Chivas. FSC

### sunday

**NOON** Pole qualifying for the Indianapolis 500. VERSUS  
**1:30 P.M.** Who will have more in the finale: the Nats or the Phillies? MASN  
**2:10 P.M.** The O's wrap up a four-game set against the Royals. MASN2  
**3:30 P.M.** If necessary, there may be a Game 7 in the NBA's conference semifinals. ABC

### 1 WHO WILL BE BACK?

The current NHL salary cap is \$56.7 million, with the Caps approximately \$1.29 million under that figure, according to [NhlNumbers.com](http://NhlNumbers.com). But experts expect the cap to shrink a bit next year. Forwards **SERGEI FEDOROV**, Donald Brashear and Viktor Kozlov are all unrestricted free agents, while defensemen Milan Jurcina, Shaone Morrisonn and Jeff Schultz are restricted free agents. The guess here is the team brings back Fedorov, Jurcina and possibly Schultz for the right price.



### 2 WHAT ABOUT THE DEFENSE?

Perhaps the lasting image from the Pens series will be of Sidney Crosby scoring goal after goal camped out in front of the Caps' net — a problem that beset the team all season. **GM GEORGE MCPHEE** tried to address the issue at the trading deadline but didn't pull the trigger. With three blueliners facing free agency, will McPhee count on his two top draft picks waiting in the wings (Hershey's Karl Alzner and John Carlson) or upgrade via free agency?



### 3 NEW FACES?

There are two glaring deficiencies in the Caps' armor: the lack of an imposing defenseman (addressed to the left) and the absence of a power forward who specializes in doing dirty work around the net. Forwards such as **DETROIT'S MIKAEL SAMUELSSON** or Carolina's Erik Cole are all unrestricted free agents who could suit the Caps' needs.



## WHAT'S NEXT FOR THE CAPS?

**IN THE AFTERMATH** of Wednesday night's devastating Game 7 blowout to the Pittsburgh Penguins, the most frustrating part for Capitals players and coaches was that the effort put forth in the 6-2 loss was far from the team's best this season. In fact, they could probably say that about the entire postseason.

Despite a regular season in which it racked up 50 wins and a franchise-record 108 points, the team was just 7-7 in the playoffs. Still, it was just one win away from making the Eastern Conference finals. "We're very close to being a very good team," said coach Bruce Boudreau. So, how do they reach that potential? Here's what to look for this offseason.



JOHN MC DONNELL/TWP

The Penguins had plenty to celebrate while the Capitals were forced to pull rookie goalie Simeon Varlamov on Wednesday. Now Washington must find ways to improve.

### 4 WHO'S THE GOALIE?

This isn't a question because of Simeon Varlamov's poor performance in Game 7; it's more due to the fact that carrying Jose Theodore as a \$4.5 million backup just doesn't make much financial sense. Add in that if you ask some Caps brass, they'll say 20-year-old Hershey netminder Michael Neuvirth is the equal to Varlamov, and it's clear the team has a bit of a conundrum.



### 5 WHAT WILL THEY LEARN?

When players met with the media immediately after the Game 7 letdown, most were still in a state of shock. A year ago, the Caps had the same heartbroken feeling when they lost a Game 7 to Philadelphia. They responded then by compiling the best regular season in team history and making it a round further than a season before. The Caps' under-25 core will remain largely in tact for next year, so how will players such as **ALEX OVECHKIN**, Nicklas Backstrom, Mike Green and Alexander Semin react this time around? **MARK GIANNOTTO**



**TV 'Cops' Already Booked** The star-crossed Bengals are about to become HBO's latest stars. The cable channel and NFL Films chose one of the league's least-successful teams of the last 18 years for its next "Hard Knocks" training camp series. Last year, the Dallas Cowboys were the ones followed through training camp. The Bengals have only one winning record since 1991, when owner Mike Brown took over. One intriguing subplot will be how Brown, who shies away from cameras, comes across in the episodes. (AP)

# sports

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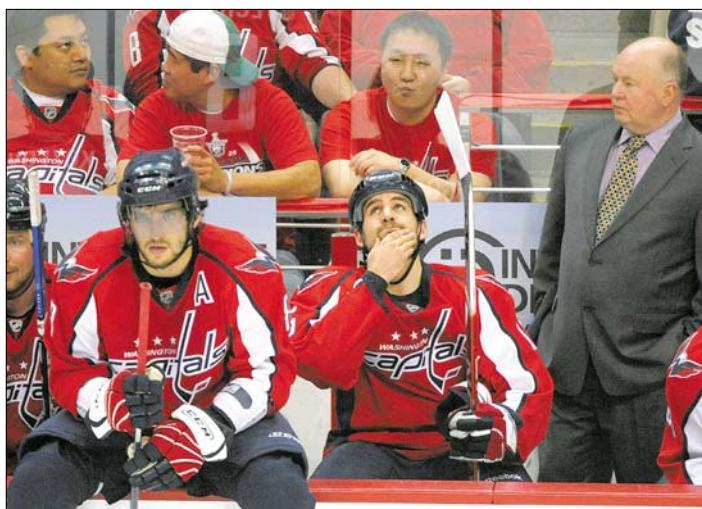
### Caps Took a Big Step This Year

THE CAPITALS' AGONIZINGLY LOPSIDED loss in Game 7 to the Penguins Wednesday shows just how far the Caps still have to go to become a championship team.

The bright side is that this team, made up of players mostly under 25 years old, made it this far. Washington made important progress this season.

Courage was displayed often — out of necessity, since the Caps had to battle back from 3-1 down against the Rangers and then find their composure to force Wednesday's climactic game after losing three straight to the Penguins.

Pittsburgh outplayed Washington on many levels. The Capitals



Alex Ovechkin, left, and the Capitals bench sit dejectedly after Wednesday's loss.

were outshot and committed more penalties, two examples of how the Penguins are a bit smarter about when to be aggressive.

No major reworking needs to be done for this team. Clearly, it has the right coach in Bruce Boudreau, and its star, Alex Ovechkin, rose to the occasion.

Sometimes, all a squad needs is another year to become a little wiser. This seems to be the case. The Capitals won over this town this season. Next, maybe they can win the Stanley Cup.

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## Sweeps Month For Cavaliers

After 2nd dominating series win, Cleveland enjoys lengthy respite

NBA PLAYOFFS | Team Sweep did some housekeeping on Wednesday.

Waiting around — again — for their next opponent in the NBA playoffs, the Cleveland Cavaliers, an impressive 8-0 in the postseason, returned to the practice floor to begin preparations for an Eastern Conference final against a yet-to-be-determined opponent.

So, while Orlando and Boston got ready for Game 6 of their semifinal series on Thursday night, the Cavs watched game

tape, reviewed defensive assignments, worked on free throws and passed the time during the initial hours of their second lengthy lay-off this month.

These Cavaliers are resting, not restless. "I wouldn't change it for the world," said center Zydrunas Ilgauska. "I like the position we're in. We've earned it."

Monday is the soonest the Cavs will play again, as four-game sweeps of Detroit and Atlanta have given the Central Division champions ample time to recover, scout the Magic and Celtics, and try to maintain their buzz-saw momentum.

"We have a plan," coach Mike Brown said with a smile. (AP)



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—CO-OWNER JESS JACKSON

unusual loyalty from her jockey and early backing from the race's oddsmaker, all while carrying the hopes of a fading industry desperately seeking a star.

Her mere entry in the Preakness is a surprise. Fillies don't usually take on colts at the top level of racing because the boys are bigger, faster and stronger, and Rachel Alexandra's new owners had to pay \$100,000 above the entry fee



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## Back to Reality for Zimmerman

Nationals star kept perspective in midst of 30-game hit streak

**NATIONALS** | For 30 games, it rarely came down to the final plate appearance.

The longest hitting streak in baseball this season, one that took Ryan Zimmerman more than halfway to Joe DiMaggio's seemingly unreachable 56-game mark, was forged with a minimum of suspense. Most often, the Washington Nationals' 25-year-old third baseman got his hit out of the way in his first or second at-bat.

So, when he came to the plate



EZRASHAW/GETTY IMAGES

Ryan Zimmerman's hitting streak has put a rare positive spotlight on this Nats season.

**“It would have sucked a lot more if we had lost.”**

hitless in the top of the ninth in San Francisco on Wednesday, the pressure was on. When he hit into a fielder's choice, the streak had ended but the game hadn't. Minutes

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later, Zimmerman slid across home plate just ahead of the catcher's tag. He pumped his fist, knowing he'd just provided a critical insurance run in a 6-3 victory.

After the game, he told reporters he was sad to see the streak end but it was always of secondary importance. “It would have sucked a lot

more if we had lost,” he said.

Zimmerman handled the hitting streak with a veteran's poise and watched his batting average rise to .357 in the process. And yet he maintained perspective. “It makes you realize how much better 56 is than 30,” he said Wednesday. “That's a long time.”

Zimmerman's streak was just beginning to invite national attention, a rare positive headline in a season identified so far with a steady string of bullpen busts. He hadn't gone hitless since the second game of the season.

“He put us on the map a little bit with what he did,” said manager Manny Acta, whose team returns home to face the Phillies this weekend. “The main thing is he can start another one on Friday.” DEREK TURNER

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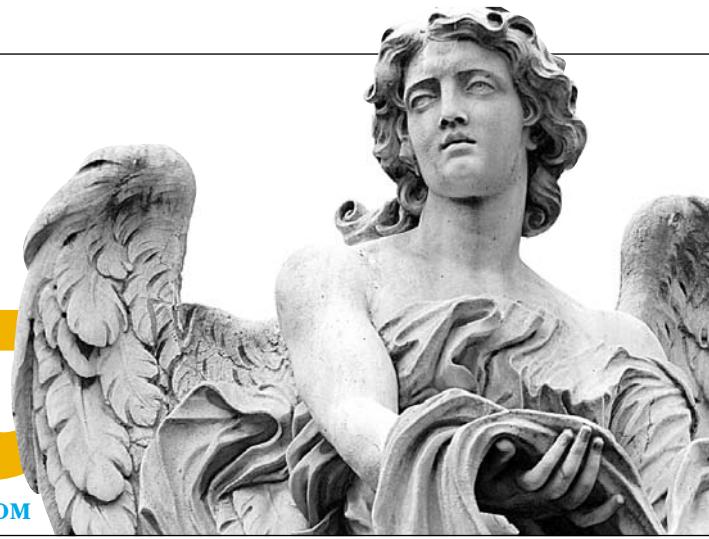
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## Diego Luna

ACTOR, SOCCER ENTHUSIAST, BUDDING CHEF

**If there's one word** that doesn't describe goofy new dad Diego Luna, it's "rough," or "rudo" as they say en espanol. But in the movie "Rudo y Cursi" (opening in D.C. today), he plays the former, a combative banana plantation worker who breaks into big-time soccer — along with his wannabe singer half-brother, Cursi, played by childhood pal Gael Garcia Bernal.

**I hear you're actually pretty good at soccer. True?**

Then you have been talking to the right people. But when I was 12, I was really fat, so people would laugh at me when I told them I wanted to be a football player.

**It must be exciting to be in a soccer movie, though, right?**

It was so fun. When the director and I were working out the char-

acter, though, I had this stupid idea of having a scar on my mouth. We were thinking about what kind of guy he was, and we thought he'd have it from a fight. But then when we were shooting, I realized that the sweat would erase the scar. So, I was standing on a soccer field with 11 guys in front of me, and I couldn't do anything. Luckily, I learned how to play without sweating.

**The brothers have a dream to build a house for their mom. Do you have any goals like that?**

When you live in Mexico City, you always dream of having a quiet place where no one can bother you. A few years ago, I bought a little piece of land in front of the beach, but I haven't built anything yet.

**The movie shows the temptations that come along with fame. Any of that resonate with you?**

I have seen many of those stories, but I can't personally relate. Fame is a different thing than Rudo thinks it is. So many TV shows teach you how to be famous in a week. I believe you first have to know who you are. It's about being happy and enjoying what you do.

**"Many TV shows teach you how to be famous in a week. I believe you first have to know who you are."**

**Is there any off-screen rivalry between you and Gael??**

No, we had one when we were younger. But we know how important our relationship is. This is sometimes a lonely path to walk. It's nice to be able to call someone who understands you immediately. And through football and sports, we get the tension out. On this tour, we're going to play squash in every city, so one of us will be the winner.

**What's up with your restaurants?**

I'm a partner in a few. I love eating. Remember, I told you I was fat when I was 12. My personality is of a little fat guy. When my wife was pregnant, I had to cook, and I realized I love cooking. I'm into cooking stuff I've never eaten. I have cookbooks to cook for 20 years.

**I have to ask about the facial hair.**

Everyone said my mustache is the most beautiful ever on-screen! We decided he needed to have a mustache because he's always trying to show he's older in every way. And in the past 10 months, with the movie and the baby, there's been no time to shave. Once you shave, you have to keep shaving. The in-between thing is itchy. And my baby loves playing with my beard, so it stays.

VICKY HALLETT (EXPRESS)



**EVENT HORIZON The Front Row:** Like it haute? Point your Pradas toward Bethesda this weekend, where free events catwalking down Bethesda Lane range from a fashion show with special guest Christian Siriano (Friday at 7:30 p.m.) to a "Fancy Nancy" story hour for little stylists (Saturday at 11 a.m.) at Barnes & Noble (4801 Bethesda Ave.). For more information, see [BethesdaRow.com](http://BethesdaRow.com).



## French Bliss

**OUR LOVE AFFAIR** with hot fudge sauce remains torrid. But in warmer months, we sometimes feel like cheating on it and drizzling something cool and fresh on our Haagen-Dazs or Edy's. Made in France, where fruit desserts are a haute art, Nectars de Bourgogne's coulis (\$8.50, Dean & DeLuca, 3276 M St. NW; 202-342-2500) come in flavors such as apricot, raspberry and black currant. The subtly sweet purees taste sunny over a sundae, on some buttermilk pancakes or, um, just drizzled into your mouth.



## A Cheeky Approach

**IN THE ENDLESS QUEST** for a just-been-smooched flush, we've tried both old-fashioned techniques (cheek pinching) and unintentional ones (four glasses of chardonnay). None has given us the lasting effect of MAC's new Just a Pinch blush (\$19.50, Maccosmetics.com), a saturated but sheer red gel. It will take a bit of rubbing to evenly swab the color onto skin — which, rather unfortunately, also reddens the cheeks and may result in a panic that you've applied too much. But the end result is a healthy, robust rosiness — no cheap wine required.

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## Badge of Corsage

**WEARING REAL FLOWERS** on your wrist poses health risks: being stabbed with a rose thorn, a pollen-induced allergy attack, being mistaken for a 1950s prom queen. Anthropologie's silk posy festooned bangle (\$68, Anthropologie.com) brings a touch of botanical, can-can girlish glam to one's arm, whether it's paired with a T-shirt and jeans, or matched with a solid-colored sundress for — what else? — a garden party.

## 3 A Walk in The Bark

**CORK, STOPPER** of wine bottles and coverer of office walls, looks mighty chic when sewn into a clutch (\$98). The easy (and eco) style is one of several new bags by Ananas just in at Proper Tapper boutiques (1350 Connecticut Ave. NW; 202-842-3055 or 3213 P St. NW; 202-333-6200). Other cubicle-to-cocktail styles by Ananas' Brooklyn-based, D.C.-bred designer Jennifer Baum Lagdameo include a boho leather hobo with wooden trim (\$530) and a funky trapezoid carryall in black lambskin (\$385).

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ANSWERS FROM THE SHOE BLOGGER

**I will soon receive my graduate degree. What better occasion for fantastic shoes than this day? I want something with presence, a shoe with exuberance, panache and substance.**

— SUZY

■ Manolo says, the Manolo hopes that his soon-to-be newly graduated friend has the gainful employment awaiting her at the end of her exuberantly panache-filled walk across the stage of education. Otherwise, it is out into the recessionary world where jobs are scarce, and every cappuccino jockey



## Hip the Deck

**ADIRONDACK CHAIRS** get their name from New York state's cabin-and-lake-dotted wilderness. With big arms and slanted backs, they're the Barcaloungers of the balcony or backyard. Still, if your taste runs more toward Dwell than Yankee Magazine, Loll's modernist version (\$550, Dwr.com) boasts the same sit-back-with-a-beer vibe as the old-fashioned wooden ones. The sleek seats are made of recycled polyethylene and come in eight colors.

and movie-theater usher has the doctorate in comparative literature. And these are the lucky ones, as the philosophy majors are standing on the street corners with cardboard signs announcing their availability to "engage in Kantian dialectics for food."

The Manolo hopes his friend's new degree is in something more useful, like bankruptcy studies or post-structural penny-pinching. Here is the round-toed pump from Marc by Marc Jacobs (\$264, Zappos.com). These panache-laden shoes are not your typical stiletto dealio. And they are on sale! You can begin your new life on the note of fiscal responsibility.



Ask the Manolo a question at manolo@shoeblogs.com. Visit the Manolo at shoeblogs.com.

## ON THE COVER

Lillyan wears Black Halo's teal jumper (\$345, Intermix, 3222 M St. NW; 202-298-2020) and thread earrings (\$14, Tanjewelry.com). Model, T.H.E. Artist Agency. Hair/makeup, Victoria Stiles, T.H.E. Photo by Marge Ely.

# lookout fashion



Greek goddessy gathers lend a glam edge to American Apparel's Le Sac dress, available in 28 colors (\$38, 3025 M St. NW; 202-572-0166).

Equal parts airy and angular, one-shouldered styles have been turning up on trendsetters from Mischa Barton to Michelle Obama. "This shape appeals to so many because it's chic but very comfy," says Fabiana Zelaya of Bethesda's Daisy Too boutique, which recently sold out of a drapey Lauren Conrad version "in minutes." Look for pieces with vibrant prints, floaty fabrics or crafty details to keep the look posh, not toga party-worthy. "It's a style that's elegant, elongating and works on many sizes," Zelaya says. "As long as you're fine with very bare arms."

BETSY LOWTHER (EXPRESS)

# SINGLE EXPOSURE

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A single long sleeve and gauzy silk chiffon give Tibi's Hyacinth dress (\$425; Shopbop.com) a decadent, dressed-up vibe.

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An abstract print meets a floaty fabric in French Connection's flirty, arty minidress (\$178, Pentagon City; 703-415-1299). Worn with Rachelle Celine's midnight blue quartz drop earrings (\$68; Rachelleceline.com).



**A ONE-SHOULDERED DRESS IS SEXY IN A SUBTLE WAY. IT SHOWS OFF A LITTLE SKIN—BUT NOT TOO MUCH.**

FABIANA ZELAYA, DAISY TOO

Shot on location at 22 West apartments (1177 22nd St. NW; 22west-dc.com).

A tie-dyed maxi dress from C&C California (\$128; Candccalifornia.com) works for an afternoon picnic — plus that chic cocktail party afterward.



# lookout entertainment

## nightlife agenda



JOHN BARBARA/COLUMBIA PICTURES

Longtime fans and newbies will rock with Tortured Soul tonight at Black Cat.

### FRIDAY

When Tortured Soul first emerged at the turn of this century, it delighted a tight community of dance music lovers. With drummer Christian Ulrich crooning in falsetto while laying down stomping four-to-the-floor beats, J. Kriv slapping the bass and Ethan White's candy-coated keys, Tortured Soul shows are rapturous booty-shaking jams that consistently convert new fanatics. They'll be joined by Naked Music's sexy house diva Lisa Shaw at the **BLACK CAT** tonight.

### SATURDAY

The roster of OM Records should be prominent in the collection of anyone with a taste for modern beat-based music. Lucky D.C. fans have had a number of chances to see artists such as Colette, DJ Heather and Andy Caldwell taking a turn on area stages. J Boogie is the Swiss Army knife of OM, because he's one guy who can cover so many categories. In his prolific remixes and edits, and his original material with J Boogie's Dubtronic Science, the common element is funk, especially varieties that didn't originate on these shores. Latin percussion, reggae dub bass and retro synths all come into play behind vocals that range from rap to pop. Coming out of the fertile San Francisco DJ scene, J Boogie's palette is soulful, sunny day party music. Catch him on the decks at **EIGHTEENTH STREET LOUNGE** Saturday night.

Check out an extended version of "Nightlife Agenda" each Thursday at [washingtonpost.com/gog](http://washingtonpost.com/gog)

**"I think he is a timeless sort of character, like Sherlock Holmes, or any sort of the great detectives of all time, an intellectual Indiana Jones without a whip."**

— TOM HANKS, RIGHT, DISCUSSING PROFESSOR ROBERT LANGDON, THE CHARACTER HE PLAYS IN "ANGELS & DEMONS" AND "THE DA VINCI CODE." "I HOPE I GET A CHANCE TO PLAY HIM FIVE MORE TIMES," HE SAID AT THE FILM'S OPENING IN JAPAN.



# Blessed Sequel

## 'Angels and Demons' soars above 'The Da Vinci Code,' its clumsy predecessor

**FILM** | "Angels & Demons" is more entertaining and less self-serious than the dense and dreary yet enormously successful "The Da Vinci Code."

In adapting another of author Dan Brown's religious-mystery page-turners, director Ron Howard wisely gave in to its beat-the-clock thriller elements, which makes for a more enjoyable summer movie experience. The brouhaha has long since abated among Catholics, albinos, "Da Vinci Code" purists, what have you, and all that's left is air-conditioned escapism.

But its twists, turns and revelations are just as ridiculous as those in the first film — perhaps even more so — and it breezes through arcane details with just as much dizzying speed.

Besides Howard, the key players are back from that 2006 international hit, including Tom Hanks as Harvard professor and symbologist Robert Langdon, and Akiva Goldsman as screenwriter (with David Koepp collaborating on the script). Joining them are Ewan McGregor, Stellan Skarsgaard and Armin Mueller-Stahl among the estimable supporting cast, all of whom have enjoyed the benefits of stronger material but manage to supply gravitas nonetheless.

Although "Angels & Demons" preceded "The Da Vinci Code" in book form, the film is

### 'ANGELS & DEMONS'

→ **DIRECTOR:** Ron Howard  
→ **STARS:** Tom Hanks, Ewan McGregor  
→ **IN A NUTSHELL:** The Vatican reluctantly enlists Robert Langdon (Hanks) to help it battle a secret society known as the Illuminati.  
→ **FOR FANS OF:** "The Da Vinci Code," "National Treasure"

positioned as a sequel to take advantage of the strained relationship between Langdon and the Vatican — but this time, it's his expertise the folks there reluctantly need.

With the pope dead and the College of Cardinals about to meet in conclave to choose a replacement, a secret society known as the Illuminati has kidnapped the four likeliest candidates.

Langdon is brought in to decipher clues at various churches and historical sites throughout Rome to prevent the killing of the cardinals, one every hour, leading to a bomb

explosion at the Vatican. He gets help along the way from Vittoria Vetra (Ayelet Zurer), an Italian scientist who worked at the lab where the combustible vial of antimatter was stolen. Her arrival also allows for such standard action-picture dialogue as, "Can you deactivate the device?"

The most laughable part of the story? We won't give it away entirely for those who haven't read the book. We'll just say it involves an exploding helicopter and a crucial character parachuting out of it just in time. Because it is summer, after all. CHRISTY LEMIRE (AP)

**Unlike "Da Vinci," which drew criticism from the Catholic Church, the Vatican's review says "Demons" is a fun movie, although very inaccurate. In the end, it's harmless.**



Armin Mueller-Stahl, left, and Ewan McGregor don Vatican-chic outfits for their roles as church officials.



**CARTOONS** **Kung Fu Viewing** Nickelodeon is adding "Kung Fu Panda: The Series" to its lineup. Based on the hit 2008 film of the same name, the series' 26 episodes will be animated using the same computer-generated process. It will tell new adventures of Po, the frisky martial arts panda who starred in the movie. It's the second co-production between DreamWorks Animation and Nickelodeon — the network recently launched "The Penguins of Madagascar," adapted from DreamWorks' successful 2005 flick "Madagascar." (AP)



IVONNE VENEGAS/SONY PICTURES CLASSICS

Diego Luna and Gael Garcia Bernal star as soccer-playing siblings in "Rudo y Cursi."

## Brothers In Shin Guards

**FILM** | "Rudo y Cursi" is enormously hackneyed in concept yet surprisingly enjoyable in execution, thanks to some amusing, surreal details and the genuine camaraderie of Diego Luna and Gael Garcia Bernal.

You think you know where it's going, this story about the rise and fall of a couple aspiring soccer players (who happen to be competitive brothers, another familiar theme). But the naturalism of

writer-director Carlos Cuaron's approach is too compelling, as is, conversely, the liveliness of co-stars Luna and Garcia Bernal, longtime friends reunited for the first time on the big screen since the 2002 hit "Y Tu Mama Tambien."

Cuaron, who co-wrote that movie, makes his feature debut here; it's also the first film from his brother Alfonso Cuaron and fellow Mexican directors Alejandro Gonzalez Inarritu and Guillermo del Toro through their new company, Cha Cha Cha.

Alfonso Cuaron has said the on-screen relationship isn't necessarily a reflection of his own childhood with his younger brother, but Carlos Cuaron has a clear affection for the way these guys tease, torment and ultimately stick by each other.

CHRISTY LEMIRE (AP)

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### 1 Global Warming-a-Go-Go

We've never seen a party try to mash together a masquerade theme AND an eco-friendly theme, but, hey, we're game. This weekend, head to the House of Sweden for the Green Party. Wear a mask (preferably green) and enjoy art, DJs, food and a cash bar. Twenty bucks gets you admission and a free drink. You'll need to buy a ticket in advance ([Ticketweb.com](http://Ticketweb.com)), since there will be no ticket sales at the door. F.Z.

→ **House of Sweden, 2900 K St. NW; Sat., 8 p.m., \$20; [Brightestyoungthings.com](http://Brightestyoungthings.com).**

## top stops

Compiled by Express' Fiona Zublin and Kris Coronado. Read more of their picks at [Expressnightout.com/topstops](http://Expressnightout.com/topstops).

### 3 Alvy Singer Lives

It can be difficult to admit you love Woody Allen. Bring up "Hannah and Her Sisters" and you'll be met with "he married his stepdaughter." But "The Rise and Fall of Annie Hall," about an Allen-obsessed young man trying to write a musical version of Allen's famed comedy, is undeniably funny. F.Z.

→ **Theater J, 1529 16th St. NW; through May 24, \$20-\$55; 202-777-3210. (Dupont Circle)**

### 2 Night Riders

For those seeking nocturnal sightseeing with a breezy zip, sign up for the Potomac Pedal Touring Club's Moonlight National Mall Tour, an 18-mile ride. Register at the Tenleytown Metro stop at 8 p.m. for excursions that depart at 8:30 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. k.c.

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# "EXHILARATING."

"Wolverine" is well-acted, with spectacular action and witty one-liners. Although it's a quintessential popcorn movie, "Wolverine" is not mindless. Director Gavin Hood and Hugh Jackman bring depth to a comic-book tale of anti-heroes with anger issues. Jackman invests his fierce character with...clear-eyed intelligence and inherent decency, compelling viewers to care about his metamorphosis."

Claudia Puig, **USA TODAY**

**"HUGH JACKMAN IS ELECTRIFYING."**

Paul Fischer, **DARK HORIZONS**

## X-MEN ORIGINS WOLVERINE

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# entertainment lookout

performance is by Idris Elba as Derek, Sharon's stockbroker spouse. When Lisa (Ali Larter) makes a play for him and won't accept his rebuff, the wheels are set in motion. "Obsessed" can't end without a life-or-death fight between Sharon and Lisa, whose attempted seductions are steamy but nongraphic. (JH)

**THE SOLOIST** (PG-13, 119 minutes) The true story of a newspaper columnist (Robert Downey Jr.) and his friendship with a schizophrenic street musician in Los Angeles (Jamie Foxx), the film is suffused with heartbreak and humanism, as it takes one man's grim story — early promise, bright future, mental breakdown, despair — and turns it into a spiritual meditation

on friendship. Downey plays Los Angeles Times columnist Steve Lopez, who happens upon Nathaniel Ayers (Foxx) playing a two-stringed violin in downtown Los Angeles' Pershing Square. Lopez discovers that Ayers once attended Juilliard, and his resulting columns wind up taking the writer not only into the tortured history and mind of his subject, but also into the Bosch-like world of the city's Skid Row. (AH)

**STAR TREK** (PG-13, 127 minutes) Let us pray. Lord of "Star Trek" and all its spinoffs, we thank thee for a movie that, against all odds, has miraculously resurrected a wheezing but beloved franchise. We thank thee for an origin story that, unlike such recent downers featuring the Incredible

Hulk and Wolverine, pays affectionate respect to its source material but never falls into the trap of slavish worship. We thank thee for Zachary Quinto, who plays Spock with surprising pathos. We thank thee for a setup that pits James T. Kirk (Chris Pine) and Spock against each other, giving the film its fraternal rivalry. But most of all, we thank thee for director J.J. Abrams, who proves such an able steward of this narrative and these characters. We thank thee for imbuing Abrams with taste and conscience enough to guarantee that the franchise will once again live long and prosper. May he do the same. Amen. (AH)

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**SUNSHINE CLEANING (R)**

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**X-MEN ORIGINS:  
WOLVERINE (PG-13)**

3:10, 5:15, 7:30, 9:40

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12:00, 2:30, 5:10, 7:30, 9:50

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**OBSESSED (PG-13)**

11:30, 1:45, 4:00, 6:15, 8:30, 10:45

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**STAR TREK (PG-13)**

9:45, 12:00, 2:25, 5:10, 7:50, 10:15

**STATE OF PLAY (PG-13)**

10:15, 1:00, 4:00, 7:10, 9:40

**THE SOLOIST (PG-13)**

9:50, 12:05, 2:30, 5:00, 7:40, 10:00

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12:45, 4:05, 7:00, 10:05

**\*STAR TREK (PG-13)**

11:20, 1:00, 2:15, 4:15, 5:00, 7:10, 7:45, 10:30

**\*NEXT DAY AIR (R)**

11:45, 2:35, 4:50, 7:15, 9:25

**X-MEN ORIGINS:  
WOLVERINE (PG-13)**

11:30, 2:00, 4:30, 7:05, 9:30

**GHOST OF GIRLFRIENDS  
PAST (PG-13)**

12:00, 2:25, 5:05, 7:35, 9:55

**AMERICAN VIOLET (PG-13)**

11:50, 2:30, 4:55, 7:20, 9:50

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We destroy the things we love. We repeat mistakes. We dance like Muhammad Ali around the truth, even in our most candid moments. Tyson just does it more spectacularly than most. (DT)

**WOLVERINE** (PG-13, 107 minutes) Hugh Jackman may be the contractual star of this Marvel Comics-inspired production, which explores (creates) the history of one of Marvel's most popu-

lar and conflicted heroes, but technology is what makes the movie what it is. The story starts in 1845, in darkest Canada, where young brothers James and Victor see the man they think is their father gunned down. Throughout history, James (Jackman) and Victor (Liev Schreiber) kick major enemy butt together. Victor/Sabretooth is always the more sadistic of the two. He's one

twisted, unkillable dude, actually, and James, aka Logan, aka Wolverine, constantly has to rein him in. But you can see where this is going: conflict. (JA)

REVIEWS BY THE WASHINGTON POST'S JOHN ANDERSON, ANN HORNADAY, JANE HORWITZ, MICHAEL O'SULLIVAN AND DESSON THOMSON. FOR MORE CAPSULES AND REVIEWS OF THESE AND OTHER FILMS, SEE WASHINGTONPOST.COM/ENTERTAINMENT

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# Fighting the Good Fight

**'Farrah's Story'** details the actress' struggle to overcome cancer

**ILLNESS** | "Farrah's Story" (9 p.m., NBC, Fri.) is an unvarnished look at Farrah Fawcett's struggle to overcome cancer with her dignity intact.

Fawcett's close friend Alana Stewart was a producer on the project and filmed Fawcett as she endured chemotherapy and other grueling treatments. Fawcett was diagnosed in 2006 with anal cancer that has spread to her liver.

Fawcett is doing "OK," said a guarded Ryan O'Neal, Farrah's longtime companion. He's portrayed as a steady presence, although the two ended their long romantic relationship in the late 1990s.

Fawcett, 62, is in a "very rocky



Farrah Fawcett and Ryan O'Neal in 2003, before she was diagnosed with cancer.

place," O'Neal said. "We put on a brave front, always, when we're with her. She doesn't know how scared we are."

In the film, he expresses concern about how the loss of Fawcett would affect their son, Redmond O'Neal, 24, who was just admitted into a court-ordered drug program.

Although a private person, Fawcett realized her experience could inspire others, Stewart said in an interview.

"Farrah's Story" will show her "incredible strength," Stewart said. "Her big message is no matter what they say to you, keep fighting."

LYNN ELBER (AP)

## weekend lineup

### THEY'RE FINALLY OUT!

**PRISON BREAK** (8 p.m., Fox, Fri.) wraps up loose ends with a two-hour series ender.

### STAR TALK

Celebrity interviews are featured on **AMC STORYMAKERS** (10 p.m., AMC, Fri.), hosted by longtime Hollywood journalist Peter Bart and producer Peter Guber.

### HE'S GOT GAME

For his film **KOBE DOIN' WORK** (8 p.m., ESPN, Sat.), director Spike Lee and 30 cameras followed Los Angeles Lakers star Kobe Bryant as he prepared for and played in a game against the San Antonio Spurs in 2008.

### ALL-STAR LINEUP

Will Ferrell hosts the finale of the 34th season of **SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE** (11:30 p.m., NBC, Sat.), featuring musical guest Green Day.

### BIG LAUGHS FOR SHORTS

Andy Samberg hosts **SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE: JUST SHORTS** (9 p.m., NBC, Sun.).



Will Ferrell hosts the 34th season finale of "Saturday Night Live" this weekend.

### DECISIONS, DECISIONS

Dave faces a fateful choice on the finale of **DESPERATE HOUSEWIVES** (9 p.m., ABC, Sun.).

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#### DIGITAL PRESENTATION

#### ANGELS & DEMONS (PG13)

12:40, 3:50, 7:00, 10:20

#### ANGELS & DEMONS (PG13) ✓

(10:00, 10:40, 11:20 @ \$6), 12:00,

1:20, 2:00, 2:40, 3:10, 4:30, 5:10, 5:50, 6:20, 7:40, 8:20, 9:00, 9:40, 10:50,

11:40, 12:30

#### NEXT DAY AIR (R)

(10:45, 11:15 @ \$6), 1:00, 1:40, 3:20, 4:20, 5:40, 6:50, 6:50,

8:00, 9:10, 10:15, 11:20, 12:25

#### STAR TREK (PG13)

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8:30, 11:00, 11:30

#### STAR TREK (PG13) ☐

12:30, 3:30, 6:30, 9:30, 12:30

#### GHOSTS OF GIRLFRIENDS PAST (PG13)

(11:05 @ \$6), 1:35, 4:15, 7:05

#### X-MEN ORIGINS: WOLVERINE (PG13)

(10:30, 11:10 @ \$6), 12:10,

1:30, 2:15, 2:55, 3:35, 5:00, 6:15, 7:30, 8:10, 9:05, 10:30, 11:10, 11:50

#### FIGHTING (PG13) 10:25 PM

#### OBSESSED (PG13)

(10:20 @ \$6), 1:05, 4:00, 4:40, 6:45, 7:20, 9:20,

10:15, 12:00

#### THE SOLOIST (PG13)

(10:15 @ \$6), 1:15, 4:05, 7:15, 10:05

#### EARTH (G)

(11:25 @ \$6), 2:05

#### 17 AGAIN (PG13) 4:45, 7:35, 10:05

#### STATE OF PLAY (PG13)

(10:25 @ \$6), 1:25, 2:35, 5:45, 8:15, 10:45

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#### AMC SELECT

#### MANAGEMENT (R)

(10:35 @ \$6), 1:25, 3:15, 5:35, 8:05, 10:35

#### RUDO Y CURSI (R)

(10:05 @ \$6), 12:33, 3:05, 5:45, 8:15, 10:45

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#### THE SOLOIST (PG13)

2:00, 4:40, 7:20, 10:00

#### 17 AGAIN (PG13)

1:50, 4:20, 6:50, 9:20

#### I LOVE YOU, MAN (R)

2:10, 4:30, 7:10, 9:40

#### AMC SELECT

#### MANAGEMENT (R)

✓ 10:00, 2:30, 5:40, 8:00, 10:15

#### RUDO Y CURSI (R)

12:10, 2:30, 5:10, 7:40, 10:10

#### ADVENTURELAND (R)

12:20, 2:50, 5:20, 7:50, 10:20

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#### DIGITAL PRESENTATION

#### ANGELS & DEMONS (PG13) ✓

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#### ANGELS & DEMONS (PG13) ✓

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#### NEXT DAY AIR (R) ✓

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#### STAR TREK (PG13) ✓

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8:40, 9:10, 11:40

#### OBSESSED (PG13) ✓

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#### THE SOLOIST (PG13) ✓

(11:45 @ \$6), 1:30, 3:45, 5:20, 7:15, 9:15

#### 17 AGAIN (PG13) 6:55, 9:20

#### MONSTERS VS. ALIENS (PG)

(11:00 @ \$6), 1:15, 4:30, 7:35, 10:20

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#### THE SOLOIST (PG13) ✓

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#### 17 AGAIN (PG13) 6:55, 9:20

#### MONSTERS VS. ALIENS (PG)

(11:00 @ \$6), 1:15, 4:30, 7:35, 10:20

#### FOR THESE SHOWTIMES

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#### DIGITAL 3D

#### MONSTERS VS. ALIENS 3D (PG)

(9:10, 11:25 @ \$9), 1:45, 4:05

#### DIGITAL PRESENTATION

#### STAR TREK (PG13) ✓

(6:35, 9:35, 11:20 @ \$6), 1:30, 3:45, 5:55, 7:10, 9:00

#### ANGELS & DEMONS (PG13) ✓

(9:20, 10:10, 11:45 @ \$6), 12:35, 2:20, 3:20, 4:30, 5:30, 6:15, 7:00, 7:45, 8:40, 9:30, 10:10

#### OBSESSED (PG13) ✓

(10:25 @ \$6), 12:25, 3:25, 5:25, 7:25, 9:25, 10:25

#### THE SOLOIST (PG13) ✓

(11:00, 11:50 @ \$6), 2:10, 4:20, 5:05, 5:50,

8:10, 8:50, 11:05, 11:45

#### STAR TREK (PG13) ☐

(10:20 @ \$6), 1:25, 4:20, 7:20, 10:20

#### OBSESSED (PG13) ☐

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#### THE SOLOIST (PG13) ☐

(10:40 @ \$6), 1:30, 3:45, 5:45, 7:25, 9:25, 10:15

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#### MONSTERS VS. ALIENS (PG)

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#### OBSESSED (PG13) ✓

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#### STATE OF PLAY (PG13) (10:15 @ \$6)

1:15, 4:30, 7:35, 10:30

#### FOR THESE SHOWTIMES

#### AMC SELECT

#### MANAGEMENT (R) ✓

1:10, 3:30, 5:45, 8:00, 10

# lookout online

## Poll Center

WAS CRAIGSLIST RIGHT TO REMOVE EROTIC SERVICES ADS FROM ITS SITE?

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS AS OF 5 P.M.

**YES** 65%

**NO** 35%

**The problem** isn't the Web site. The problem is people abusing this and other Web sites. Those who used the erotic services in the past will find other avenues online to get their fix.

**COMMENTER RON THE DON**, WHO ADDED, "[CRAIGSLIST] COULDN'T AFFORD [TO HAVE] ITS REPUTATION TARNISHED ANY FURTHER."

**It was the right** move, both from the standpoints of ethics and public welfare. Without safeguards on who could advertise for what services, too many people were getting hurt.

**COMMENTER PHILIMUS**, WHO ADDED, "CRAIGSLIST'S SO-CALLED SCREENING AND SECURITY MEASURES WERE A JOKE."

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**"THAT WOMAN** has more stories and reasons and excuses than any of my kids ever came up with. She is a piece of work, and it is her party that is going to eat her alive."

A COMMENTER ON THE DAILYBEAST.COM IS NOT IMPRESSED BY HOUSE SPEAKER NANCY PELOSI'S CLAIMS THAT SHE DIDN'T KNOW ABOUT THE CIA'S USE OF WATERBOARDING.



**I will bet all of y'all a box of wine** that [soon, President] Obama will hold a special press conference [and] MJ will moonwalk all over the front lawn of the White House. It's going to happen."

**IHATESOMUCH.COM** WOULD LOVE TO BELIEVE THAT ALL OF MICHAEL JACKSON'S BIZARRE ANTICS ARE JUST FOR SHOW, ADDING, "OK, MAYBE NOT. BUT ADMIT IT: IT'D BE THE BEST PRANK EVER."



**"Wait ... raging drunks falling off toilets and hitting people with 12-ounce projectiles was Baltimore's 'thing'? I thought it was gritty crime dramas."**

**DEADSPIN.COM** MOCKS THE NOTION THAT BALTIMORE NATIVES FEEL SLIGHTED BECAUSE SPECTATORS AT PIMLICO RACE COURSE WILL NO LONGER BE ALLOWED TO BRING THEIR OWN BEER INTO THE INFIL.

**"I KNOW I'M NOT** the only one who does this. I mean, whenever I admit my guilt, it seems the person I'm talking to does it, too. So, it must be much more common."

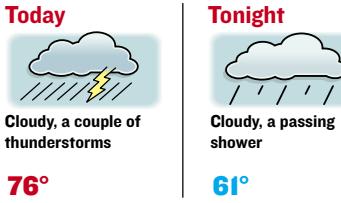
**JOZAFF.BLOGSPOT.COM** FEELS RATHER GUILTY ABOUT HER TANNING BED HABIT, AS SHE DOES ABOUT HER SMOKING HABIT.



**"TIMES CHANGE** and tastes do, too. It has now gotten to the point where I actually have to think hard to wonder which I have had more of in my life — beer or wine."

**FINARELLI.COM** IS NOW CONSIDERING A WINE RACK, AS OPPOSED TO A KEGERATOR, TO ACCOMMODATE HIS INCREASED VINO CONSUMPTION.

## 5 Day Forecast for the Washington Area



76°



61°



79° / 63°



67° / 47°

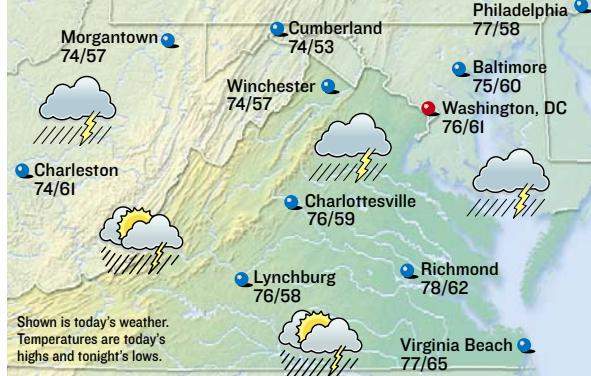


67° / 52°



74° / 57°

## Regional Weather



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## Almanac

Washington, D.C., through 4 p.m. Thur.

### Temperature

High ..... 76°  
Low ..... 58°  
Normal high ..... 75°  
Normal low ..... 55°  
Average humidity ..... 70%

### Precipitation

24 hours ending 4 p.m. ..... Trace  
Month to date ..... 3.53"  
Normal month to date ..... 1.67"  
Year to date ..... 12.75"  
Last year to date ..... 21.01"  
Normal year to date ..... 13.88"

For up-to-the-minute weather, see:  
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## Regional Forecast

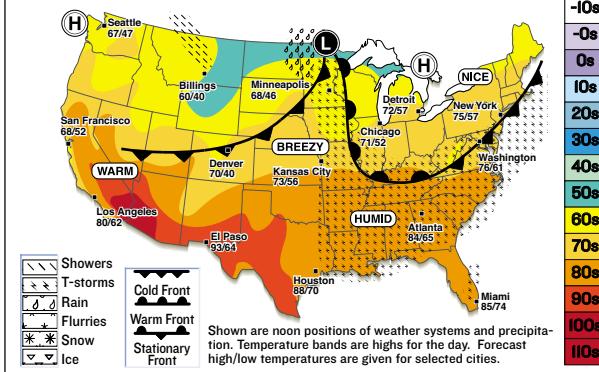
**D.C. Metro:** Today, cloudy, showers, thunderstorms. High 76. Wind northeast 4-8 mph. Tonight, cloudy, a shower. Low 61. Wind south 4-8 mph.

## Sun and Moon

Sunrise today ..... 5:56 a.m.  
Sunset tonight ..... 8:14 p.m.  
Moonrise today ..... 12:59 a.m.  
Moonset today ..... 11:07 a.m.



## National Weather for Friday, May 15



## National Cities

City	Today Hi/Lo/W	Sat. Hi/Lo/W	City	Today Hi/Lo/W	Sat. Hi/Lo/W
Atlanta	84/65/t	82/62/t	Amsterdam	63/45/r	63/46/c
Boston	74/52/pc	64/51/pc	Athens	82/62/pc	79/63/c
Chicago	71/52/t	62/43/pc	Berlin	63/52/pc	66/50/r
Dallas	87/69/pc	79/56/t	Buenos Aires	57/50/s	66/55/pc
Denver	70/40/pc	59/42/pc	Calgary	56/38/pc	64/44/pc
Honolulu	85/72/s	85/71/s	Dublin	57/46/sh	55/45/r
Los Angeles	80/62/s	84/62/pc	Geneva	61/49/r	54/42/pc
Miami	85/74/pc	82/73/t	Moscow	50/34/r	57/39/pc
New York City	75/57/pc	73/55/t	Rome	73/54/sh	66/50/pc
Orlando	88/69/t	87/70/t	Sydney	72/53/s	70/47/pc
Seattle	67/47/pc	68/49/pc	Tokyo	68/55/pc	66/67/c

s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice.

# comics lookout

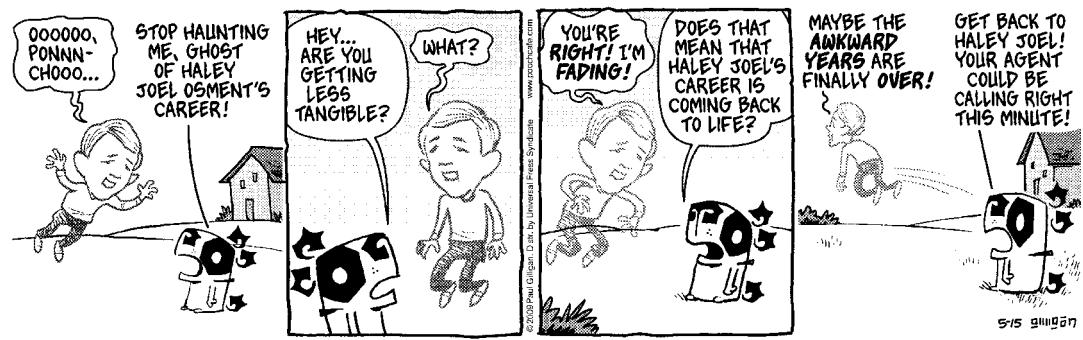
Bizarro | Dan Piraro



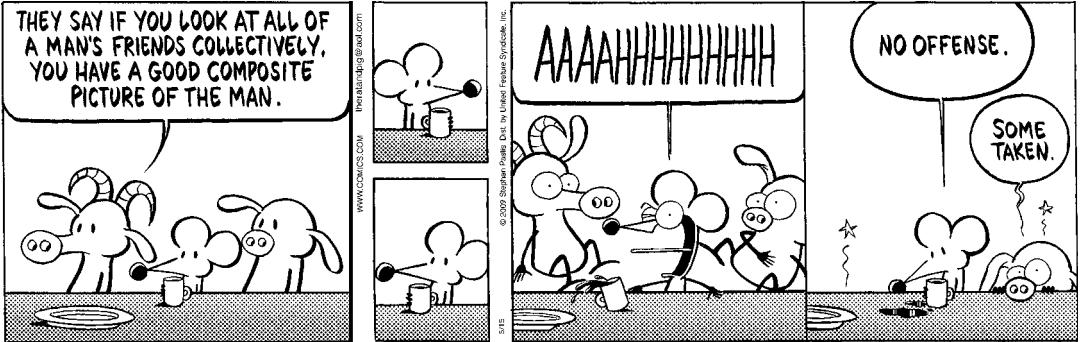
Cornered | Mike Baldwin



Pooch Cafe | Paul Gilligan



Pearls Before Swine | Stephan Pastis



The Duplex | Glenn McCoy



## Horoscope

By Stella Wilder

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** Your eyes are likely to be opened to a series of possibilities that you have not before considered. It's time for some new thinking.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** You're eager to avoid one particular subject when you find yourself in social situations—but you're not likely to be so lucky.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** You may expect to uncover a few secrets, but you're sure to be disappointed if you employ only your usual search techniques.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** Things aren't likely to happen by themselves; you're going to have to exert some kind of influence for things to get moving.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** That which you expect to find is likely to remain elusive at this time—but you must be ready to uncover a few very real surprises.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)** It's likely to fall to you to support someone who is attempting something for which he or she is not entirely ready.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)** You may feel for some reason that time is running short to accomplish something you've set your sights on for some time. Get moving.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)** Your assessment of a difficult personal situation may be discounting a major issue that is clear to others. Get up to speed.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** Others are likely to gravitate toward you—especially when you begin to show your enthusiasm for a new project.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)** He or she who most shares your outlook can offer you a great deal in the way of inspiration and guidance. You can return the favor.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)** Quality is a far bigger concern than quantity. You don't want to find yourself surrounded by that which is subpar.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** You're definitely on a path of self-discovery at this time, but you mustn't try to make things move more quickly than they already are.

## Today in History

**1911** The U.S. Supreme Court orders the breakup of Standard Oil Co., ruling it is a monopoly in violation of the Sherman Antitrust Act.



**1930** Registered nurse Ellen Church, the first airline stewardess, went on duty aboard an Oakland-to-Chicago flight operated by Boeing Air Transport (a forerunner of United Airlines).

**1942** Wartime gasoline rationing goes into effect in 17 Eastern states, limiting sales to 3 gallons a week for non-essential vehicles.

**1972** George C. Wallace is shot by Arthur Bremer and left paralyzed while campaigning in Laurel, Md., for the Democratic presidential nomination.

**2004** Kentucky Derby winner Smarty Jones posts a record 11 1/2-length victory in the

Belmont Stakes.

**2008** California's Supreme Court declares gay couples in the state could marry—a victory for the gay rights movement that was overturned by the passage of Proposition 8 the next November.

# lookout people



MARTIN H. SIMON/POOL/GETTY IMAGES

Intrusive media attention should occur immediately after birth, experts say.

## DANGER

## Babies Inoculated Against Media Attention Too Late

**WANDA SYKES** and her wife, Alex, are the parents of twins. Sykes' publicist, Danica Smith, says daughter Olivia Lou and son Lucas Claude were born April 27. Smith says Alex gave birth to the twins and "all are happy and healthy and at home." The twins are the first children for the couple. (AP)

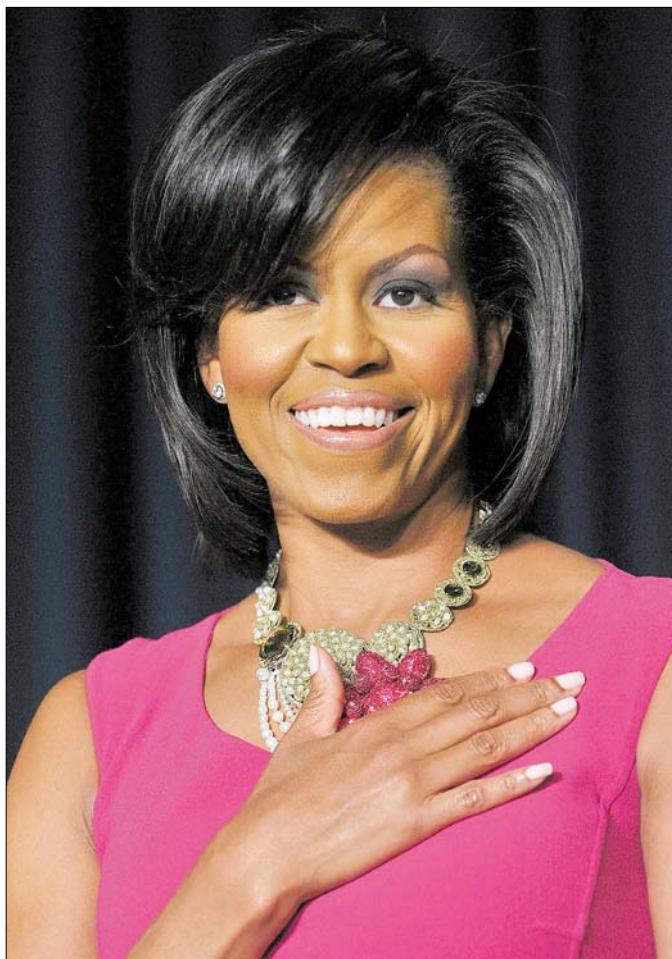
## EMOTIONS

## Heartfelt Man Hug To Be Broadcast Live

In a neat bit of promotion, Jay Leno's last guest on "The Tonight Show" will be the man who's taking over for him — Conan O'Brien. James Taylor will perform on Leno's May 29 finale, the late-night host said Thursday. (AP)

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## HONORS

## Michelle's Arms Strike Again

**MICHELLE OBAMA** is the first first lady to make it onto Maxim's Hot 100 list of women. Obama clocked in at No. 93, preceded by model Joanna Krupa and followed by "Chuck" ingenue Yvonne Strahovski. No. 1 is "House" star Olivia Wilde, No. 2 is actress Megan Fox, No. 3 is model Bar Refaeli and No. 100 is actress Deanna Russo. (EXPRESS)

## BANKING Writing Checks Officially Obsolete

**ALICIA KEYS** wants \$5 from every "American Idol" fan. The singer appeared on the hit Fox show Wednesday to urge viewers to support the Text ALIVE Challenge, which aims to bring medicine and medical care to children and families with HIV/AIDS in Africa and India. Keys



asked fans to text the word "alive" to 90999 to donate \$5 to Keep a Child Alive, the charity she co-founded and for which she serves as global ambassador. She also introduced a beneficiary of the charity, 15-year-old Rwandan rapper Noah, who performed on the show. Keys began the Text ALIVE Challenge while touring with her latest album, "As I Am." (AP)

## MINIMUM SECURITY

## Harrowing Accounts of Lack of Hi-Def TV to Come

"Survivor" winner **RICHARD HATCH** has been moved to a halfway house from the federal prison where he was serving time for failing to pay taxes on his prize. Hatch was convicted in January 2006 of failing to pay taxes on the \$1 million prize he won on the debut season of the CBS show. He is expected to be released Oct. 7. (AP)



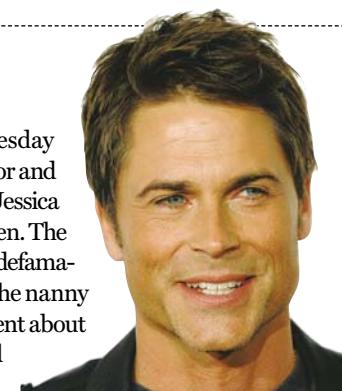
STEVEN SENNE/AP

White-collar prison was full of injustices, like romaine instead of arugula.

## DONE WITH

## The End of an Error

An attorney for **ROB LOWE** said Tuesday that dueling lawsuits between the actor and a former nanny have been dismissed. Jessica Gibson was a nanny for Lowe's children. The "Brothers and Sisters" actor, 45, filed a defamation lawsuit in April 2008 claiming the nanny demanded \$1.5 million to remain silent about sexual abuse allegations later included in her countersuit. (AP)



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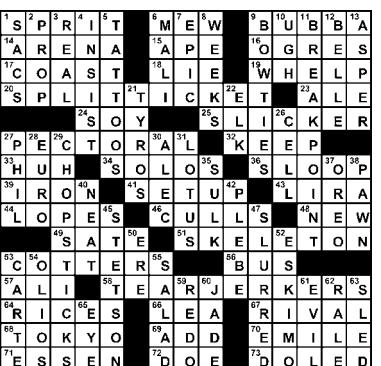
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# puzzles lookout

## CROSSWORD | DO YOU BELIEVE?

ACROSS	37 Antler feature	3 She's only make-believe	46 South Africans of Dutch descent
1 Big name in lawn care	38 Scissors sound	39 Jagger title	47 "Bye, bye, ___ American Pie"
6 Way to get to the top	40 Banshee's sounds	41 Lusterless surface	48 Creme-centered snack
10 It's definitely not a yacht	42 They may be hung on pegs	43 "What's your sine?" subj.	49 Sandy hazard
14 Courtship participant	44 Progress-impeding area	37 Grocery stores	50 Willing to take part
15 "The Audacity of ___"	45 Exaggerator's suffix	38 Mumbai garment	51 Applying to ears
16 Pith helmet (Var.)	46 Elementary	40 Got smart (with "up")	53 "I'm in" indicator
17 Chaplin contemporary	47 She's only make-believe	41 Light white wine	54 Springsteen sobriquet
18 Atlantic Coast dweller	52 Place for beakers	43 Go over old news	57 ___ Alamos, N.M.
20 Math collection	55 Shine a light on	44 Kettle and Joad	
21 He's only make-believe	56 Argentine plain		
23 Fling with effort	58 Bodies of water		
25 Pointer's direction	59 Kuwaiti pooh-bah		
26 Vacillate	60 Awkward brutes		
28 Proceedings	61 Tenth grader		
33 Track and field events	62 Stopwatch count, for short		
34 Cougar's color	63 Sissies, mostly?		
35 Org. with a red, white and blue ball			
36 Opening for Ansel Adams			
DOWN	1 They fly by night	2 Starlet's quest	30 He's only make-

## Yesterday's Solution

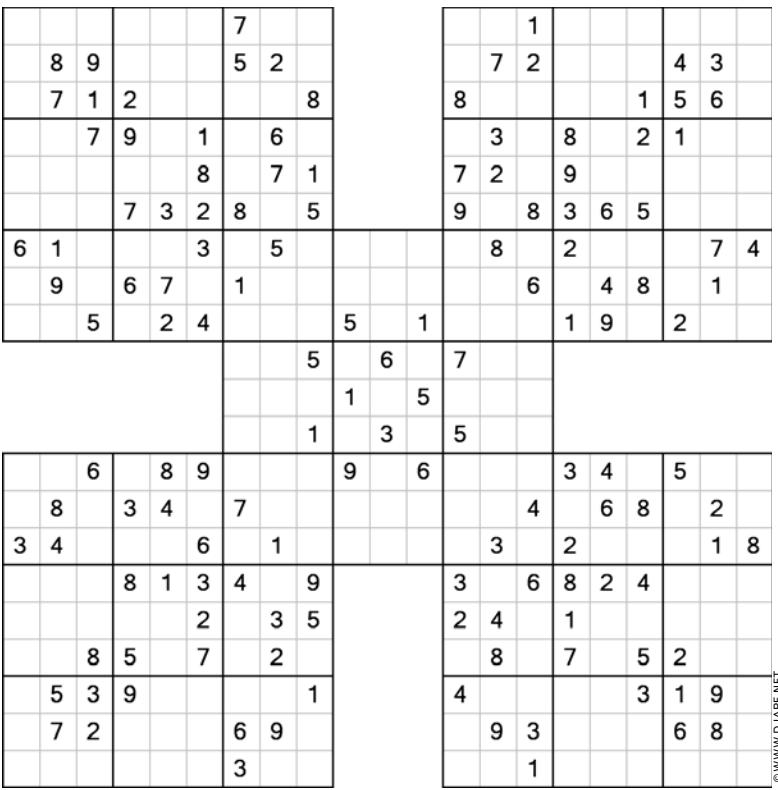
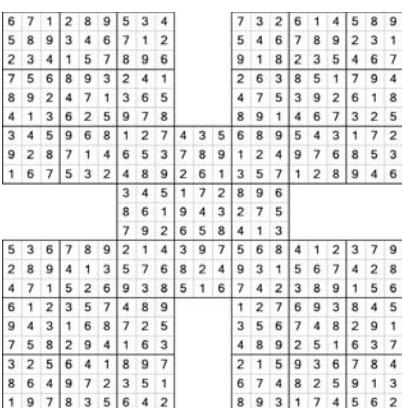


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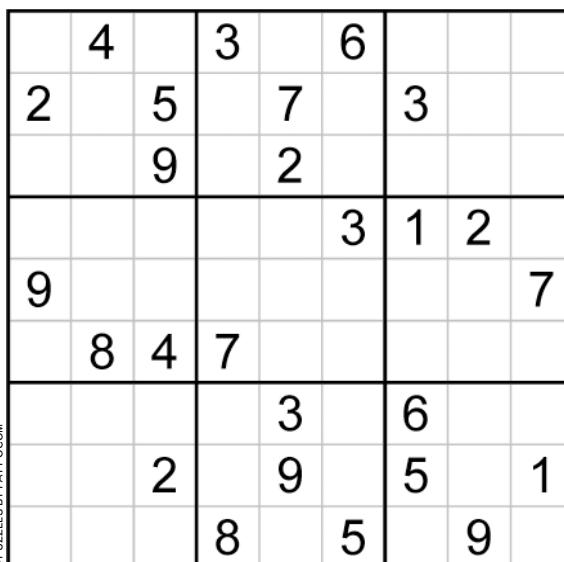
## SAMURAI SUDOKU | HARD

Fill in each column, row and 3x3 box with the digits 1 through 9 without repeating any. The twist in Samurai Sudoku is that the digits that appear in the overlapping boxes must work for both puzzles. A piece of advice to get you started: Don't focus on completing one grid at a time. Keep the whole puzzle in mind as you go, because filling in a number in one grid could give you clues to another.

## Last Week's Solution



## CLASSIC SUDOKU | HARD



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## Yesterday's Solution



Fill in the boxes so each row, column and 3-by-3 square includes the digits 1 through 9. For solution, tips and computer program, see [www.sudoku.com](http://www.sudoku.com)

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